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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please REPLACE the Abstract originally filed with the enclosed Substitute Abstract attached hereto.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please REPLACE the specification originally filed with the enclosed Substitute Specification.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please CANCEL claims 1-10.